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TO AMEMBASSY GUATEMALA

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SUBJECT: OPIC LOAN GUARANTIES

REF: GUATEMALA 0463

1. NEW "OPIC COUNTRY LIST" CURRENTLY AT PRINTERS WILL SHOW LOAN GUARANTIES AVAILABLE IN GUATEMALA ON A LIMITED BASIS.
2. 1975 COUNTRY LIST REFLECTS THE FACT THAT OPIC LEGISLATION REQUIRES THAT THERE BE AN AGREEMENT WITH THE HOST COUNTRY FOR OPERATION OF THE GUARANTY PROGRAM. OPIC'S BILATERAL AGREEMENT IN GUATEMALA WAS EXECUTED PRIOR TO THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE GUARANTY AUTHORITY AND THEREFORE DOES NOT INCLUDE PROVISION FOR THE OPERATION OF THAT PROGRAM.
3. REVISION OF THE COUNTRY LIST WILL REFLECT OPIC'S DETERMINATION TO TAKE A MORE POSITIVE APPROACH AND ASSUME THAT IF QUALIFIED, DEVELOPMENTALLY DESIRABLE PROJECT APPLIED FOR FINANCING UNDER THE GUARANTY PROGRAM AN AGREEMENT WITH THE GUATEMALAN GOVERNMENT COULD BE WORKED OUT IN THE CONTEXT OF

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THAT SITUATION.

4. WHENEVER THE GOG WOULD BE RECEPTIVE TO AMENDING THE
CURRENT BILATERAL TO INCLUDE MENTION OF THE GUARANTY PROGRAM
THIS WOULD MAKE APPLICATION PROCESS SEEM LESS ARDUOUS TO
PROSPECTIVE INVESTORS AND OPIC WOULD PREFER THIS AS A LESS
COMPLICATED SITUATION. EMBASSY OPINION THIS REGARD
APPRECIATED. KISSINGER

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